

COUNTY TAX PAYMENTS NORMAL

Progress Is Being Made In Several Counties In Development Of Hiway Ten

COURTS HOLD COTTON LAW INVALID

MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY BY OBSERVER

Auto Shows Start

All automobile shows take their tempo from the New York show, which was held early this year, as usual. After leaving Manhattan the exhibitors moved across the East River to Brooklyn and from there drifted out west, hitting many of the larger cities.

The show this year, which was avoided to quite an extent by dealers but thronged by the individual car owners, brought to light one interesting thing. Practically nobody this year is buying a car with the idea in mind of "keeping up with the Joneses."

The cars with the cutest gadgets and appearing to render the best value for the least money were having the best sales.

This year's auto show had a lot of novelties. One of the neatest was a piece of what looked like oily rubber. You rubbed the windshield with it and rain failed to stick where it had been applied. It appeared to be fine protection for drivers in a heavy rain.

Another device kept the headlight turning so it lit up the road exactly where the car was then headed, a thing that appears to be a boon to all night drivers on country roads. There were lots of other things that could not be grasped in a quick parade past the mile or so of booths.

An Ancient Car

One of the cars on exhibit was the Holman. This is not an advertisement for that particular car, although it was listed at \$800. The car was built in 1902 and was an old-fashioned buggy with a two-cylinder engine. It did from ten to fifteen miles an hour but was "dangerous at higher speeds."

Nearby was a model of the first automobile in all history. It was a steam-driven car, built in France in 1770, and made from six to twelve miles an hour. It was primarily designed for the removal of heavy artillery and not for commercial or pleasure use.

An Instructive Exhibit

Few drivers actually know what happens when they press certain pedals or move levers, nor how the clutch works and other things really valuable to know. One of the most interesting exhibits at the auto show was a miniature model showing some ten operations on a car.

One could examine closely and see how all the main parts of the chassis operate. It was one of the best and most illuminating exhibits at the whole show and held more people than almost any other exhibit.

A Thrilling Demonstration

One of the leading makers was playing up the shatterproof glass and giving a continuous demonstration of the difference between ordinary glass and the new kind. The exhibitor took an ordinary pane of glass, warned the spectators to shield their eyes, and then crashed it into a thousand pieces with a hammer.

Then he had a pretty girl sit down and he held a piece of the shatterproof glass over her head and hit it with a hammer. The crowd never seemed to tire of the exhibition.

As the glass is available on all cars it looked to us as though he was doing a service for the entire industry by his exhibition.

Miss Lulan Gilmore of Santiago, California is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Durham.

Carl Gilchrist of San Angelo is visiting his mother, Mrs. Jennie Gilchrist.

Atty. Jabez M. Smith of Malvern, Ark., visited his sister, Mrs. Belle Dudley last week. Mr. Smith was married to Miss Edith Tunnell of Comanche, some 20 years ago.

Mrs. Belle Dudley returned from Malvern, Arkansas, Thursday, where she was called on account of the death of her brother, Eugene R. Smith. Miss Theresa and Elton Dudley accompanied their mother on the trip.

OTHER STATES DROP LAW ON COTTON ACREAGE

(By Associated Press)

FRANKLIN, Feb. 1.—Cotton limitation by law, attempted as a relief measure from overproduction in many sections of the South, lost in its first encounter with Texas courts today when Judge W. C. Davis of Eighty-fifth District State Court held the Texas law "unconstitutional and void."

The Mississippi statute already had lapsed, because of a provision automatically making it void unless other cotton growing States passed similar measures, and one of the last official acts of Huey P. Long as Governor of Louisiana was to suspend the similarly conditional law in that State. Arkansas and South Carolina also had passed conditional statutes which became void in the event other States did not adopt similar measures.

As a test of the Texas law, passed at a special session of the Forty-second Texas Legislature, T. L. Tyson, Robertson County attorney, sought an injunction to prevent Fred L. Smith farmer of Calvert, from planting to cotton this year more than 30 per cent of the total acreage he had in cultivation last year.

"Essence of Tyranny." In refusing to grant that injunction, Judge Davis asserted that enforcement of the law would be "the essence of tyranny and destructive of the fundamental principles of free government, would violate the sacred guarantees of our Constitution and would make the bill of rights a nullity and a farce."

Decision of Judge Davis. Judge Davis, in his decision today, wrote:

"The question in this case is whether, under the authority of the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Texas, the Legislature had the authority to pass a law denying a citizen of the State the right to use, cultivate and enjoy the revenue of his privately owned lands as he may desire."

"The right of the citizen to use his property as he chooses, so long as he harms nobody, is an inherent and constitutional right. The police power can not be invoked for the abridgment of a particular use of property rights, unless such use reasonably endangers or threatens the public health, the public safety, the public comfort or welfare."

"The fundamental principles and guarantees of life, liberty and property vouchsafed under the Constitutions of the United States and the State of Texas should never be abrogated during the stress of depression. Precedents, by law or otherwise, destructive of those rights, no matter what be the occasion, eventually will destroy our system of free government. Depression and economic ills are, as a rule, of brief duration but precedents endure."

Enforcement Called Injustice. "The enforcement of this law would be a manifest injustice to thousands of men who own private property and work untold and unthinkable hardships upon that large class of people who are by force of circumstances tenants."

Corner Confectionery In New Location

The Corner Confectionery moved to its new location Monday in the north half of the building formerly occupied by Garner-Alvis Company.

The business will still retain its name according to Messrs. Gore and Tate, who said that they are still "on the corner."

Hey Kids! It's marble-time and we have the biggest assortment of marbles you ever saw.—Reese Drug Co. (25-26)

Will the Groundhog Stay Out?

By Albert T. Reid



SIDNEY EAGLES VICTORS IN CAGE TOURNEY

The Sidney Eagles easily proved themselves the class of the basket ball teams of Comanche County last week at the interscholastic League Tournament at DeLeon, winning the final game from Gustine Saturday without extending themselves, 24 to 8.

To enter the finals, Sidney defeated the DeLeon Bear Cats 25 to 8, the Pettit team 21 to 11 and Robinson Springs 20 to 10.

Lack of close matches characterized the tournament, the grade of ball played as well as the spectators suffering from the cold weather.

The Gustine Tigers, last year's champions made their way into the finals by eliminating Comanche, Beattie, and Duster, but were unable to cope with the smooth working Sidney team.

The victory gave the Eagles their first championship since 1928. The Beattie Bears won the championship in 1929 and again in 1930 and DeLeon was the winner in 1927. Sidney was awarded the championship in 1926 after

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SANFORD CASE IS REVERSED

The case of Jim Sanford of Comanche County given two and a half years at Comanche last May on an alleged charge of violating the liquor laws was reversed and remanded at Austin Wednesday by the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Mr. Sanford was represented by Oscar and Gib Callaway and they appeared before the Court at Austin recently and argued the case.

Prohibition Enforcement Officer Ezelle who was the principal witness against Mr. Sanford at the time of his trial in Comanche

BLANTON WARNS OF WAR DANGER

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—A warning that if a few American Marines are shot in the Japanese-Chinese disturbance in Shanghai "we are sure to become involved in war" was sounded today by Representative Blanton.

Bringing to the floor of the House for the first time the crisis in the Orient, the Texas Democrat charged the administration was sending warships to China "to protect a few Chinese merchants."

"Do you think we should not protect our people who are rightfully there at Shanghai?" Representative Purnell, Republican, Indiana, demanded.

"I think we should but don't send military forces," Blanton replied, "we should give our people transportation and get them out of there."

"That's what we are sending the warships for," Purnell said. "Do you think they can swim back?"

Representative McKeown, Democrat, Oklahoma, said "I don't think this is the time to discuss this matter."

Blanton replied that "nevertheless if we don't watch our step we're going to be involved in war."—Star Telegram.

HOLMSLEY ACCEPTS PLACE AT FIRST STATE BANK

T. R. Holmsley has accepted a position with the First State Bank, assuming his duties Thursday, February fourth. Mr. Holmsley has been with this institution before. For the past three years he has resided at Colorado, Texas.

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Guthrie Layne and sons, Guthrie, Jr., Parker and J. B. Jr., of Fort Worth spent last week in Comanche with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Layne.

was later killed at Fort Worth by a negro when he was attempting to make an arrest.

GIRLS CAGE TOURNEY AT DE LEON FRI.

The first round of elimination in the annual Comanche County Interscholastic League Girls Basketball Tournament will begin today at DeLeon at nine o'clock according to Perry Moring, Superintendent of the Robinson Springs School, who is director of Girls' Athletics.

Comyn won the championship last year, meeting the Robinson Springs girls in the finals in a postponed game in the Dublin Gym. Both of these sextettes are reported strong again this year as are Proctor, Sidney and Gustine. Prior to last year, the Sidney girls won three years in succession.

Comanche will not enter a team according to local school authorities, although they were included in the drawing for games at DeLeon last week. The order of play will be as follows:

First Game: Comanche and Robinson Springs; Second Game: DeLeon and Sidney; Third Game: Duster and Gustine; Fourth Game: Beattie and Newburg; Fifth Game: Hasse and Proctor; Sixth Game: Sipe Springs and Comyn.

SHIPS PECANS TO HAWAII

A shipment of 2473 pounds of shelled pecans was made by Durham Brothers Monday over the Cotton Belt to Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, via San Francisco. This is the first shipment on record at the local Cotton Belt station where Comanche products have ever been shipped to the Islands according to Carroll Black, local agent.

The pecans went to the Love Biscuit Co., of Honolulu.

For the past several years Durham Brothers have shipped

SURFACING IS DELAYED BY RECENT RAINS

Bids were called for Wednesday by the Highway Department at Austin for putting down an asphalt surface on Highway No. 10 from Brownwood to the McCulloch County line, the items as carried in the daily press being as follows:

Brown—19.6 miles caliche and waterbound broken stone base with triple asphalt surface treatment from McCulloch County line north to Brownwood.

There are now a number of improvements being made on Highway No. 10 and it is looked upon as one of the principal roads of the State according to information given out by the Highway Department.

Work of putting a gravel surface on the local road from Comanche to the Erath County line is well underway according to John Hart who said that the work was delayed a large part of last week on account of the weather. Twelve trucks are now being used to haul the gravel and the work will be pushed to completion as quickly as possible Mr. Hart stated.

Immediately following the completion of the work in Comanche County, the highway will be traveled from the Erath County line to Dublin and when this is completed, the workmen will be transferred to the DeLeon-Comanche road as it is believed that the right-of-way will be ready by the that time according to Mr. Hart.

Highway 10 Bridge On Brazos, Completed

The finishing touches are being done this week on the new Brazos bridge. The steel work is being painted and the cement finishers are about through with their work.

The contractors are working on the fill to the approach to the Brazos bridge on Lambert branch. The heavy rain on Saturday morning took out part of the fill next to Lambert branch.

A number of the bridge crew have already left for other places.—Granbury News.

Hiway No. 10 Beautification Work Is Started

Beautification work on highway 10 from Brownwood to the intersection with highway 129 east of the city as planned by the Brownwood Lions club has been started and soon trees will be planted all along that section of the highway.

Resident Engineer Leo Ehlinger is assisting the Lions club with the work and has had the holes for the trees dug. The trees will soon be planted by the club. Crepe myrtles will be planted at short distances between the pecan trees along the road. One pecan tree will be planted in the center of each of the Y's at the intersections of highway 10 and highway 129 and of highways 10 and 7. Crepe myrtles will be planted in each corner of the Y's.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Toby's Comedians Here For The Next Two Days

Toby's Comedians, the stage attraction now showing at the Ritz Theatre, will be held over for Friday and Saturday. The company was originally billed here for four days, but by popular request, will be held over Friday and Saturday.

Friday night will be the next feature play, and there will be a matinee Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with the Saturday night show at 7:30.

their products to all parts of the United States and Canada, the bulk of them going to the cities of the middle west, and now their pecans may be said to have a world wide distribution.

DECREASE IS SLIGHT IF ANY DECLINE

County and State tax collections are almost normal in spite of the "depression" according to information obtainable at the office of the County Tax Collector. While there is a slight decrease of possibly as high as ten per cent this is not an actual decrease in proportionate payments of the taxes due.

The decrease of approximately 10 per cent over the amount collected on the corresponding date last year, was partially caused by a number who paid for the first time under the split payment plan which permits one half to be paid by November and the other half by June 1. All who paid half would have paid the whole amount under the old law Homer Palmer, said he believed. A slight decrease in taxable values was partially offset by an increase in the state tax rate.

Taxes collected from October 1 to February the first totaled \$199,609.51 as compared to the corresponding date last year of \$223,483.26, a decrease of only \$23,873.75, the amount collected being about 75 per cent of the total assessed.

Car Registrations Off 15 Per Cent

More than fifteen hundred cars were registered within the last fifteen days of January which brought the total registrations to 2127 prior to the date on which the penalty became effective. A total of 3100 cars were registered during the entire year of 1931 and of this number about 2500 were registered prior to February 1; according to estimates obtained at the Collector's office.

Public Speaking Department To Give Revue

The Public Speaking Department of the High School will present a Revue, "In A Garden" at the High School Auditorium, Tuesday evening, February 6th.

The Revue, which will present some 45 to 50 characters will be directed by Mrs. R. S. Walker and music will be directed by Mrs. J. A. Mohon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Holmsley have moved to Comanche from Colorado, Texas, where they have made their home for the past three years.

Miss Kate Foster of Sipe Springs spent the week end in Comanche with Mrs. Murt Sullivan.

Ritz Theatre

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
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Toby's Comedians

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February 7-9
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CLARK GABLE AND
JOAN CRAWFORD, IN
"Possessed"

TIGER EYE

by B. M. Power



Eleventh Installment

Bob Reeves, the Kid, was nicknamed Tiger Eye by his friends down in the Brazos country because his "gun-eye" was yellow. When his father, "Killer Reeves," died the kid left Texas to avoid continuing his father's feud. Reaching Montana he is forced to draw on Nate Wheeler, an irate nester. In the exchange of shots Wheeler drops dead, the Kid later learning that Bob Garner, who had also shot at the same time, really killed Wheeler.

Garner gets the Kid to join the Poole outfit as a rim rider. The Kid succeeds. Wheeler's widow and is interrupted by Pete Gorham and some other nesters. He shoots Gorham through both ears for coupling his name with Wheeler's widow. Later he rescues a girl, Nellie, and her dad from Gorham, wounding Pete again. The girl, in spite of her belief the Kid is an imported Texas killer, warns him the nesters will kill him. The Kid warns Garner the nesters are planning an attack on the Poole outfit. He meets Jess Marked, a Texas who is boss of the Poole wagon crew and shoots him through both hands. Nellie's dad is shot from ambush and suspects Babe against his wish. The latter thinks another nester killed the old man. Babe is wounded by hidden enemies, who also shoot at Tiger Eye but miss. The Kid pulls Babe back into the cabin and wounds one of the attackers.

Nellie comes to the cabin secretly and tells Tiger Eye to escape with the wounded Babe. While they are riding out, Babe becomes delirious and accuses the Kid of trying to cheat him out of the pay for killing Nellie's brother. Nellie, outraged at being betrayed in her faith in the Kid, slashes him across the face and rides away. After turning Babe over to the Poole outfit, the Tiger Eye finds a deserted cabin and determines to wage independent war on the killers of both factions.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

His grub was getting low. He wanted more money than he had in his pocket. Wouldn't he be working for wages now for awhile, and grub costs money.

So he sat one night in a poker game with three cowboys from over toward the Rosebud and a lucky prospector just in from the Black Hills. Walked out at daylight with his pants bulging at the sides like a pocket gopher packing grass to its burrow. Honest player, though. Never caught him in any funny business. Plain lucky, that kid with the one yellow eye.

He rode out of town at noon, Barney taking careful, nippy steps to balance the big and bulging pack on his back. Pecos, too, carried more than his master that day. Tobacco and five pounds of candy and a songbook and two cartons of cartridges wrapped in the kid's slicker and tied behind the cante. The kid's pockets sagged with six new mouth organs, keys C and D, in bright red pastebord boxes.

The kid was almost ready now to show Nellie Murray he was neither a killer nor a cur to take a kicking and crawl off under the brush and whimper over his hurts. He was just about ready to start in taming the killers. Right soon, now, the name of Tiger Eye would send men's glances back over their shoulders and make a prickle go up into the roots of their hair. The range tiger was going on the prowl.

It was hot down in that willow growth through which the kid was riding. They came out finally against a barbed-wire fence, built straight across through the thicket. Good stout posts that looked solid as the teeth in the kid's mouth. Four wires strung so tight they hummed like a tuning fork when the kid leaned over and gave one a jerk. No fooling with that fence. Cattle proof and storm proof, like the fences the railroads built along their right-of-way.

Plumb strange to find a fence like that over in this part of the country. This wasn't Poole land, and he never heard of any nesters over in this direction. No trails coming up this way, no nothing. Shoah was mysterious.

They followed the fence for half an hour of steady plodding along the narrow lane cut by the fence builders. They came slap up against a sandstone ledge where the last post stood in a hole drilled into solid rock and was set there with cement. And that was plumb strange too. Nothing to do about it, though. Couldn't even ride back along the edge of the willows because it was just a mess of broken rock and rubble from the steep slope that evidently stood above the ledge.

Once more the kid turned Pecos short around, and rode back along the fence. He crossed a creek bed covered with hot sun-bleached cobblestones with stagnant pools in the hollows. There the fence became a brush and wire barrier higher than the kid's head. No animal bigger than a rabbit could wriggle through there. He rode another half mile or two before he came to the edge of the fence and found it anchored to the other arm of the sandstone ledge.

An hour or more later Pecos stopped on the crest of a long ridge and stood with braced legs, completely winded after the steep climb, though the kid had been considerate enough to come up on his own feet.

He had plenty of time to rest and doze while the wind pleasantly dried his sweaty hide for the kid sat down with his knees hunched up to brace his elbows and through the glasses carefully examined this strange conglomeration of hills and hollows and wild crooked canyons.

The kid moved his glasses a little and saw a horseman just riding out of sight behind a chokecherry thicket. He seemed to be coming down the canyon.

The kid rode slowly along the can-

yon bottom, playing his mouth organ as he went, and letting his long legs sway to the rhythm of the tune. The kid's eyes lightened with a peculiar gleam but the tune he was playing never missed a note, until a black horse and rider came into view. The kid gave one startled look and the music ceased with a squawk.

Nellie Murray, dressed in her dead brother's overalls and blue gingham shirt, with her thick braid of yellow hair sweeping the cantle of her saddle as she rode! She carried her dad's rifle in the crook of her arm, as if she meant to meet danger a little more than halfway, and as the two horses stopped of their own accord, she lifted the rifle midway to her shoulder, then

got to smoke it. His mind went shuttling back and forth, weaving Nellie's story into certain puzzling fragments of information he had never been able to make anything of.

"Of course he had nerve! Too much. He wanted to get the goods on that bunch without dragging the neighbors into it. He never told them what he was doing, but he told Father."

"Plumb strange yo'all nevah mentioned it, when we talked these things ovah at the cabin. Feahs like I wasn't trusted at no time."

"I didn't know it then. Mothes knew, but they were afraid to talk about it, much. She only told me earlly this morning, when we found out our



"Well! I've found you. Where are the cattle?" she demanded.

let it down again.

The kid looked at her with that curious, steady stare of his yellow right eye, and his face had the expressionless look of a trained gambler. Cold and hostile and ready for war he looked, but he didn't feel that way. Hot crimples went chasing up his spine, and the back of his neck had a queer tightened feeling, as he stared at her.

"Well! I've found one of you, anyway!" she exclaimed, in a tone that was worse than another cut of the quirt. "Where are the cattle?"

"What cattle?"

"Our cattle that you Poole men stole out of our pasture last night. Every hoof we own! I'm going to get them back, if I have to fight every Texas killer in the country."

"I'm a Texas man, all right, but I'm no killah. Told yo'all that befo'."

"Well, that remains to be seen. You're a Poole man, anyway. You must know where our cattle are."

"Shoah wish I did. The Poole's fighting nesters, I know that. But they don't steal cattle, Miss Murray."

"Oh, don't they? Walter Bell ought to raise your wages for saying that!"

"He kin't. I'm not working for the Poole."

"No? How long since?"

"Since that night we got Babe outa Cold Spring cabin."

"I suppose the Poole fired you for poor shooting!"

Her short scornful laugh turned the kid's ears red as if she had slapped them, but he made no answer to the taunt. What was the use?

He wrapped the bridle reins around the saddle horn and began to roll a cigarette, taking plenty of time. A man could do a heap of thinking over a cigarette without giving himself away.

"You must know the Poole ran off with our cattle!"

"No, kin't say I do."

"Well, they did."

"You'll right shoah it was the Poole!"

"I wouldn't say it if I wasn't sure," she retorted sharply. "None of our neighbors would do it, and besides, I trailed them up on the Bench and over this way. The Poole wants to run us out of the country. You know why, don't you?"

"Kin't say I do, lessen it's because you a nestah!"

"Oh, of course all the nesters are being made the goats for Walter Bell! He's going to lay the blame somewhere for his stealings. But he's scared to death of us Murrys and he means to drive us out. He's got Ed and father out of the way, but he's afraid of Mother and me too. You know why, don't you?"

"Kin't blame 'em for that," he said drily.

Nellie flushed and looked down at the rifle sagging in her grasp.

"It's because old Walt Bell is afraid Mother and I know what Ed found out about the Poole. Ed caught the Poole cowboys stealing Poole cattle, that's why! Some of them—that stand in close with Walter Bell. Joe Hale for one, and Jess Marked for another. He caught them running a wildcat brand on Poole calves, over this way somewhere. He found out a lot, and then he wrote back to the head moguls in New York and told them what was going on." She bit her lip. "That was away last March, and they haven't done a thing about it, though Mother says Ed sent enough proof to put the whole outfit in the pen."

"Shoah had nerve, that boy." The cigarette was lit but the kid for-

cattle were gone. I rode down to the pasture to bring up the cows and there wasn't a hoof in sight. I saw where they'd been driven off, and then when I went to tell Mother, she told me the whole story."

"Shoah would like to know what yo' mothah said," he observed, in what would have been a cold and formal tone, except that the kid's soft Texas voice made a pleasing melody whenever he spoke.

"Mother told me Ed was always trying to figure out why the Poole had it in for the nesters, after letting them settle in the valley without making a fuss. Ed did a lot of riding outside the valley. The Poole claimed he was rustling calves, but that's a lie. I know how we got every hoof we owned. We only had forty-two head. Now we haven't got any."

"If yo' brotha' got proof—"

"He got enough to put the fear of the Lord into Walter Bell," she declared bitterly. "We don't know whether they saw Ed watching them, or whether the Eastern owners wrote back and told Walt what Ed said about him and his outfit. The Poole certainly must have found out somehow, and it wasn't from any of the valley folks, for they don't know it. The Poole started in—dry-gulching, if you know what that means, and I suppose you do, all right." She sent him a quick glance and looked away again when the kid failed to meet her eyes. "Before, it was just mean range tricks—hogging the range and accusing the nesters of rustling calves and killing beef and all that. But all at once they started killing. Ed was one of the first—"

"If yo'ld give me the brands so I'd know yo' mothah's cattle when I find 'em—"

"Well, it's Reverse E. But I couldn't think of troubling you, Mr. Reeves. I intend to get those cattle myself."

"It's a man's job," the kid said gruffly.

"Well, I'm the man of the family now, so it's my job. So long, Mr. Reeves!" She gathered up the reins and tapped her horse lightly with the quirt—just as if it never had been put to a more sinister use—and rode on past the kid with her chin tilted upward and her gaze bent ostentatiously upon a straggling, small herd of cattle feeding over on the farther slope.

"Adios, Miss Murray!" The kid kicked Pecos into a trot and rode on into the rocky pass, playing his mouth organ so loudly he cracked a reed so that the note buzzed like a bee in a bottle.

He rode on ahead of her. Didn't act like she was going home. Didn't try to catch up with him, either. The kid got to worrying about what she meant to do, and finally he pulled in behind a ledge and waited for her to come along, so he could give her another piece of his mind. Yet when she rode up she didn't give him a chance.

"If you're bound to hunt our cattle, I guess we better work together," she said cheerfully. "This is awful rough country."

"Go awn home like I told yo'all."

"Oh, forget it!" she snapped. "I'm not going, and that settles it. If you want to get rid of me so bad, hurry up and find our cattle."

"If it wasn't foh yo' mothah, I wouldn't turn my hand ovah foh yo'all!" the kid blurted fiercely.

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MRS. FERGUSON IS
LIKELY CANDIDATE

(By Byron C. Utecht.)
Staff Correspondent

AUSTIN, Jan. 31.—Jim Ferguson wants to "tote wood and water" for Ma Ferguson again and frankly says so, and this, along with a barrage of other strong hints and assertions indicates to the capital political mind that Mrs. James E. Ferguson will throw her bonnet into the gubernatorial contest ring once more.

It would be the fourth time the bonnet has shown up in the ring, the first time when she defeated Felix Robertson, again when she ran for a second term against Dan Moody, and the third when Ross S. Sterling was her leading opponent.

In the present contest so far are Sterling and Tom Hunter of Wichita Falls. It is fully expected Mrs. Ferguson will be the third entry and her husband refuses to deny it, confining himself to the statement that neither Pa nor Ma will run for Congressman-at-large.

Senator Clint Small of Amarillo, who was third in the last governorship race, is not expected to seek the honor this time, again running for the Senate, although he had made no definite announcement. — Star-Telegram.

PROCTOR COUPLE WRITE ON DEPRESSION

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Dixon, for thirty years, citizens of Proctor, are now in Marlin taking treatment.

In a letter to The Chief, discussing the so-called depression, Mr. and Mrs. Dixon write a comparison of the present times with those when they came to Comanche county in 1901.

Conditions in Comanche county as they found them when the Dixons, with their four boys and one daughter arrived at Proctor in a covered wagon with thirty dollars in their pocket book were forcibly pictured by Mrs. Dixon in the following description:

"When we came to Proctor we did not hear any talk of depression, though there were hard times and the present prices paid for produce would have been considered high at that time. As I remember it, eggs were five cents a dozen, butter ten cents a pound, sweetmilk ten cents a gallon if you could sell it and everyone was glad to give away buttermilk."

Hired girls, of whom there were many, worked for three dollars per week and did the washing.

Every body worked from ten to twelve hours a day and a kerosene lamp hanging in the parlor was a luxury. A Jew's harp or an Accordion saved the expense of a radio battery. Every body walked to work and never broke an arm cranking a flivver.

Mrs. Dixon concludes with the statement that she thinks people have forgotten what "real hard times are."

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Make it more attractive—Use our Butter Cartons and our genuine Vegetable Parchment that will not absorb moisture. The butter is kept better and sells better.—The Comanche Chief. (f)

Condensed Statement of the Condition Of The First State Bank Of Comanche, Texas

At the Close of Business February 3, 1932

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$161,483.36
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	10,000.00
Other Real Estate	14,541.59
Customers Bonds	76,660.00
Liberty Bonds and Other Securities	\$207,925.00
Cash and Exchange	169,239.74
TOTAL QUICK ASSETS	377,164.74

TOTAL **\$639,849.69**

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$65,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	52,579.61
Customers Bonds	76,660.00
Bonds Sold under Repurchase Agreement ..	72,000.00
DEPOSITS	\$373,610.08

TOTAL **\$639,849.69**

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

E. E. ANTHONY, Pres.	J. H. TATE
J. F. TATE, Vice Pres.	S. J. HICKS
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JENNINGS IS CANDIDATE FOR DISTRICT CLERK IN COLEMAN COUNTY

D. S. Jennings has authorized the Democrat-Voice to announce him as a candidate for district clerk, subject to the action of the democratic primary election in July.

In making the announcement Mr. Jennings said:

"In order that you may know more about me I will say that I was born in Georgia and came to east Texas with my parents when an infant. From there we moved to Erath county while I was still a small boy. After a few years we moved to Comanche county where I lived twenty-five years before coming to Coleman county nine years ago.

"My boyhood days were spent on the farm, during which time I graduated from Hill's Business College, Waco, Texas. I was District Clerk of Comanche county two years.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.



How to train BABY'S BOWELS

Babies, bottle-fed or breast-fed, with any tendency to be constipated, would thrive if they received daily half a teaspoonful of this old family doctor's prescription for the bowels.

That is one sure way to train tiny bowels to healthy regularity. To avoid the fretfulness, vomiting, crying, failure to gain, and other ills of constipated babies.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is good for any baby. For this, you have the word of a famous doctor. Forty-seven years of practice taught him just what babies need to keep their little bodies plump and healthy. For Dr. Caldwell specialized in the treatment of women and little ones. He attended over 3500 births without loss of one mother or baby.

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MERCER GAP

Mrs. Walter T. Gray and son, Jerry Don, and uncle, George Branscomb of Duncan, Oklahoma are visiting Mrs. Gray's mother, Mrs. M. L. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gore and family of Comanche spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Gore.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Findley Williford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Stevens of Newburg.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Tupin of White Point spent Sunday with their son, Roy Tupin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Stevens and family of Brownwood spent Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McKinnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bolivar Shelton of May visited Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Guber Sunday.

C. E. Renfro spent the week end with his father, Sam Renfro of Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGuire of Brownwood spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Couch.

The young people enjoyed a party at Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams of Comanche visited her brother, Verner McKinnie and family Sunday afternoon.

HOLCOMB

Miss Ada Mae Wetzel of Newburg spent Saturday night with Miss Maurine Boykin.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Cox and family of Gustine spent Sunday with J. H. McKinnie and family.

Jewell and Melba McKinnie, Herman, Velma and Irene Keating and Elizabeth Thomas attended a party at the home of George Guber at Harmony last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Lillie Young visited Mrs. Vera Rogers of Harmony Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther McAliley of Harmony visited Horras Layman and family Sunday.

C. Smith entertained the young people with a party Friday night.

Vivian Ackers of Van Dyke spent Saturday night with Jewell McKinnie.

George Davis entertained with a party Saturday night.

Mrs. M. A. Young of Comanche is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wailes and family.

Miss Maurine Boykin spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moody of Newburg.

HARMONY

Several from this community attended the party given by Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKinnie of Mercer Gap, Saturday night.

Mrs. M. E. and Miss Rena Owen spent the week end with Mrs. S. J. Witten and family at Turkey Peak.

Carl Thomas is at Brownwood with his mother, Mrs. Susan Thomas, who is in a hospital.

Floyd Guber returned from San Angelo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burks and little daughter, Bobby Joyce spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Halford at Newburg.

Several from this community attended a party at the home of C. Smith, of Holcomb, Friday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gus Burks and Leslie Burks of Gustine spent Sunday night with Guy Burks and family.

Restless, could not sleep

"THERE were days when I felt like I could not get my work done. I would get so nervous and 'trembly' I would have to lie down. I was very restless, and could not sleep at night.

My mother advised me to take Cardui, and I certainly am glad she did. It is the first thing that seemed to give me any strength. I felt better after the first bottle. I kept it up and am now feeling fine."—Mrs. T. R. Gibson, Fort Payne, Ala.

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TIGER EYE

by B. M. Power



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"Well, nobody asked you to!" Nellie retorted. "You can suit yourself, you know."

"Shoah aim to, Miss Murray," the kid grimly assured her, and looped off down the canyon without once looking back.

He looked back up the canyon and rode into the willows. At the fence the kid turned and rode toward the dry creek bed where the ground was rough and bumpy, gouged with spring freshets and undermined by burrowing small animals. When he found a spot where the fence went up over a small ridge he dismounted and kicked the wires loose from three posts, forced them to the ground and anchored them there with a couple of rocks and led his horse across.

He kept going straight ahead until the willow growth ceased on higher ground and he could see what sort of place it was that had need of a fence like that.

Some one was running cattle in here, all right. The edge of the thicket was broken and trampled where stock had pushed in for shelter, and there was cattle sign everywhere.

The kid's nerves began to tingle a little. Cattle bawling!

Shoah would be funny if he was to run right onto her bunch of cattle. He better if he let her come along, he reckoned. And somehow his spirits rose a little at the perfectly logical reason he had just discovered for wanting her with him.

The kid lifted his hat and swept the reddish waves of hair back off his forehead, settled his bullet-scarred hat at a careless tilt, pulled his holster gun into position on his thigh and rode forward with an eager gleam in his eyes.

From the pole corral set back in a thin grove of cottonwood and box alder, a gray dusty cloud rose into the hot sunshine of noon. Within the corral fence a small herd of cattle tramped uneasily round and round, swerving and ducking aside when a cowboy's loop swished out like the vicious flat head of a striking rattler.

A man on guard outside unlocked the chain and swung open the gate to let out a rider dragging a husky bull calf over toward the branding fire, where two calf wranglers grabbed and threw him on his side with a thump.

A man lifted a branding iron deliberately out of the blaze, looked at it, waved it to and fro in the air, looked at it again and decided that it was about the right heat, and walked over to the calf lying there, with two waiting cowboys braced and holding him motionless, one half sprawled across his head, the other hanging for dear life to a leg.

"Awright," he signalled carelessly after he had branded the calf and turned to thrust the iron again into the fire.

It was at that moment that the three of them and the gate tender discovered that they had a new arrival in their midst.

"Well, I'm damned!" jarred from the slackened mouth of the man with the branding iron, Joe Hale, range foreman for the Poole.

"Howdy, Joe," said the kid, and felt for a match. He nodded to the calf wranglers, who were on their feet and moving their perspiring faces with the soiled bandannas. As the man at the gate came toward him, the kid's yellow eye changed curiously to the steady stare of a tiger.

Babe Garner! Babe with hollowed eyes and a sallow, indoor tinge to his swarthy face. Babe, with a question in his cold gray eyes and a smile on his face.

"Hell's brass buttons!" cried Babe, swearing his very choicest oath kept for special occasions. "Where the hell did you drop down from, Tiger Eye?"

"Rain washed me down the canyon, Babe."

"Old Man send yuh over?" Joe Hale tried to make his voice sound casual, but there was an undertone of constraint which failed to control.

"Nevah did see Waltha Bell since that night I toted Babe into the ranch."

"Oh," Joe studied on that. "Thought likely you come from the Poole."

"Awn my way to the Poole, but I done changed my mind!"

"Oh. Kinda out the way, this calf pasture, and I just kinda wondered. Want to see me for anything? Wanta go to work again?"

"Much obliged to y'all. I taken a job of riding, Joe."

"Yeah? Sorry to see yuh quit the Poole."

Polite. Too dawgoned polite to be natural. Peached like Joe was getting kinda suspicious. Babe too. Babe was edging around uneasy like, as if he wanted to get in back of the bunch of them. Had that cold look in his eyes. The kid knew that look now for the killer look. Get around behind and send a bullet into a man's back—that was Babe's stripe. The kid shifted his position a little and looked at Babe.

"What outfit yuh ridin' for now, kid?" Joe looked up from kicking a half-burnt ember back into the fire.

"Ridin' for Missus Murray, down in the valley. Widow woman, Old

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

Clarence Bryant, Minister
Bible Study, 10 a. m.
Sermon: "Christian Liberty."
Lord's Supper, weekly, Acts 20:7. 11:45 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.
Young People Meet, 6:15 p. m.
Preaching, 7:30 p. m. "Problems of Youth." All young people are especially invited.

Radio Service every Monday night, 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock. Subject next Monday night, "Is Baptism Essential?"

Mid-week Bible Class, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Bible Class, Saturday, 2:30 p. m.

Next Sunday, February 7, is the Singing Convention day for the Churches of Christ of this county. Last First Sunday the weather prevented it. If the weather is favorable we shall have this First Sunday. Comanche was selected for this Sunday. The meeting will start promptly at 2:30 o'clock. A hearty welcome is extended to everyone.

LAMKIN SCHOOL NEWS

A feature of the Home Economic Club meeting last Tuesday was that each girl had to tell her "Ambition." Mrs. Len Dalton was a special guest of the club and she with Miss Pruiett led the girls in a sing song. A new program committee consisting of Eulalia Campbell and Blanche Cooper was appointed. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served by Misses Evelyn Dalton and Ruth Morris.

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J. H. LEWIS

(23-26)

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5.00x20 8.40	4.75x20 4.70	4.75x20 5.95
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LOST—Friday, January 29th.—Red Saw Pig. Weighs about 49 pounds. Escaped from my home. Information appreciated by Joe Marshall. (14)

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FOR SALE—SEED CORN—Several varieties. Extra early maturity. The corn that beats the summer droughts.—H. M. O'Brien Comanche, Route 2. (14)

HAVE TWO ACRES—Of Spinach ready to market. Would sell crop as a whole or would sell to truckmen for resale. Also have ideal truck patch for sale cheap. Have some scrap lumber and some potato crates for sale.—See Mrs. C. J. Bartley. (14)

NOTICE OF SALE BY SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE

Whereas J. B. Wilson and wife, M. J. Wilson, by deed of trust dated February 28, 1921, and recorded in Vol. 31, page 615, of the Deed of Trust Records for Comanche County, Texas, conveyed to Louis Breiling, of Cincinnati, Ohio, as trustee, the following described real estate in Comanche County, Texas, to-wit: First Tract: Being part of the Jas. Hudson Survey, Pat. No. 165, Vol. No. 20, Abst. No. 429, described as follows: Beginning at the NW corner of the J. T. Timmons Survey for the southwest corner of this tract; thence East with north line of said Timmons survey 1337 vrs to stake for southeast corner of this tract; thence North 475 vrs for northeast corner of this tract; thence west 1237 vrs for corner; thence north 100 vrs for corner; thence west 100 vrs for northwest corner of this tract; thence south 575 vrs to the place of beginning, containing 114 acres.

Second Tract: Being part of said Jas. Hudson Survey Pat. No. 165, Vol. No. 20, Abst. No. 429, described as follows: Beginning at the NE corner of a tract of 640 acres out of said Hudson Survey, sold by J. M. Presler and wife to J. F. Beatty on December 5, 1895, as will appear by deed recorded in Comanche Deed Records, Vol. 49, page 21 for NE corner of this tract; thence West with north line said 640 acre tract 797 vrs for corner of 100 acres sold to M. D. Hornsby; thence South 461 vrs to SE corner said Hornsby 100 acres; then south 89 degrees 17 minutes west 647 vrs for corner in south line said Hornsby 100 acres; thence south 320 vrs to cor of 120 acres sold by J. F. Beatty to J. H. Beatty; thence east 159 vrs for corner; thence south 100 vrs; thence East 1237 vrs for corner in east line said 640 acre tract; thence north 886 to the place of beginning, containing 162 acres.

Third Tract: Being part of said Jas. Hudson Survey Pat. No. 165, Vol. No. 20, Abst. 429, described as follows: Beginning at the NE corner of J. H. Beatty 6 acre tract now owned by T. N. Minnix; thence west 3-6x25 vrs. to iron pin for NW corner; thence south 575 vrs to SW corner of this strip; thence east 3-6x25 vrs to stake for SE corner of this strip; thence north 575 vrs to the place of beginning, containing 1-3 of one acre.

All of said three tracts are adjoining and contain total of 276 1-3 acres

And, Whereas, the said above mentioned deed of trust was executed and delivered to the said Louis Breiling, as trustee, to secure the Union Central Life Insurance Company, of Cincinnati, Ohio, in the payment of a loan made by it to the said J. B. Wilson and wife, M. J. Wilson, in the original principal amount of \$5500.00, for the repayment of which and to evidence which the said J. B. Wilson and wife, M. J. Wilson, executed and delivered to the Union Central Life Insurance Company 21 annual installment notes, all dated February 28, 1921, and all payable at the Union Central Life Insurance Company, the first of said notes being in the sum of \$323 and due and payable on March 1, 1921, and the remaining notes being in the sum of \$581.19 each, one of such remaining notes falling due on the 1st day of each March thereafter in each of the succeeding twenty years, all of said notes bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum after maturity until paid;

And, Whereas, the above mentioned notes due on March 21, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, respectively have each and all been fully paid off and discharged, but there is still due and payable a balance of \$271.32 upon the above mentioned note which matured on March 1, 1930, and no part of the note which matured on March 1, 1931, has been paid, there also being due upon the note due March 1, 1930, interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from December 9, 1930, and there also being due and payable upon the note due March 1, 1931, interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from March 1, 1931.

And, Whereas, by reason of the default in the payment of the balance due upon the note which matured on March 1, 1930, and by reason of the default in the payment of the note due March 1, 1931, together with the interest upon each of said notes, the Union Central Life Insurance Company, the legal owner and holder of said note as in said deed of trust empowered, has declared all of the remaining notes due and payable and by reason of the acceleration of the maturity of such remaining notes, there is now due and payable upon the principal amount of the original loan, same being a loan on the amortization plan, the sum of \$3813.39, together with interest on such amount from March 1, 1931, and the Union Central Life Insurance Company, as in said deed of trust empowered, has requested the substitute trustee hereinafter mentioned to proceed to sell the above described land for the purpose of paying off and satisfying the balance of the principal on said loan, same amounting to \$3813.39, together with 8 1-2 per cent interest thereon from March 1, 1931, and to pay

off and satisfy the balance of \$371.32 due upon the note which matured on March 1, 1930, together with interest thereon from December 9, 1930, at 10 per cent per annum, and to pay off and satisfy the note which matured on March 1, 1931, same being in the amount of \$581.19, together with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from March 1, 1931, and to repay and reimburse the Union Central Life Insurance Company for the sum of \$114.05 advanced and paid by it as hereinafter set forth for taxes on said above described land, together with interest thereon from July 29, 1931, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum;

And, Whereas, the owner of the above described land failed and refused to pay the taxes due on said land for the year 1929 in the sum of \$114.05 and the Union Central Life Insurance Company, the legal owner and holder of said notes, as in said deed of trust specified on July 29, 1931, advanced and paid off such taxes and is entitled to have said land sold for the purpose of reimbursing it in the sum so paid as taxes together with interest from the date of the payment of such taxes at the rate of 10 per cent per annum;

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that I, Scott W. Key, Substitute Trustee aforesaid, will proceed to sell the above described land at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on the first day of March, 1932, same being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of

Two Women Killed When Plane Hits Mountain



Mrs. Ruth Stewart, St. Louis, and Mrs. Debbie Stanford, Toronto, two young women flying from St. Louis to New York, where they intended to attempt a flight to Buenos Aires, crashed to their death on the side of a mountain in Pennsylvania. The accident happened when they lost their bearings in the fog. Searchers came across their bodies and the wrecked plane two days later.

Historic Painting of Washington Restored to View



The Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York City has yielded to demands that it restore the painting, "Washington Crossing the Delaware", to its walls. Recently the trustees decided the painting was not a real work of art and ordered it to be stored in the basement. The painting was made by Emanuel Leutze, a German artist of the American school, in 1851.

off and satisfy the balance of \$371.32 due upon the note which matured on March 1, 1930, together with interest thereon from December 9, 1930, at 10 per cent per annum, and to pay off and satisfy the note which matured on March 1, 1931, same being in the amount of \$581.19, together with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from March 1, 1931, and to repay and reimburse the Union Central Life Insurance Company for the sum of \$114.05 advanced and paid by it as hereinafter set forth for taxes on said above described land, together with interest thereon from July 29, 1931, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum;

And, Whereas, the owner of the above described land failed and refused to pay the taxes due on said land for the year 1929 in the sum of \$114.05 and the Union Central Life Insurance Company, the legal owner and holder of said notes, as in said deed of trust specified on July 29, 1931, advanced and paid off such taxes and is entitled to have said land sold for the purpose of reimbursing it in the sum so paid as taxes together with interest from the date of the payment of such taxes at the rate of 10 per cent per annum;

And, Whereas, the said above mentioned Louis Breiling, Trustee, has failed and refused to sell said land upon request of the Union Central Life Insurance Company, and has resigned his position as trustee under the terms of said deed of trust and now fails and refuses to act as same, and the Union Central Life Insurance Company, as in said deed of trust empowered, by an instrument in writing has appointed Scott W. Key, of Eastland, Texas, as Substitute Trustee, to act in the place and stead of said Louis Breiling and has requested him to sell the said above described land for the purpose of paying off and satisfying the amounts due on the two above mentioned delinquent notes and the balance of the principal on said loan, together with interest thereon as hereinafter specified and the amount advanced and paid as taxes as hereinafter specified, together with interest thereon;

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that I, Scott W. Key, Substitute Trustee aforesaid, will proceed to sell the above described land at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on the first day of March, 1932, same being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of

ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on said day at the door of the county court house of Comanche County, Texas, in the city of Comanche, said sale being made for the purpose of paying off and satisfying the notes, the balance of the principal due on the loan, and the taxes advanced and paid, all as hereinafter more specifically set out, as well as for the purpose of satisfying and paying the cost and expense of such sale, including the cost of publication of this notice in the newspaper and a reasonable fee of \$50 to such trustee for making such sale.

Witness My Hand on this the 2nd day of February, 1932.

SCOTT W. KEY,

Substitute Trustee.

(25-26-27)

BLESS THE LORD
OH MY SOUL

Psalm 103

This Psalm portrays the true relationship existing between the Redeemed Soul and its God.

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By Jesse Allon Tiner

1. Bless the Lord, Oh Soul of mine,
Let all within proclaim
The glory of His name Divine,
Bless His Holy Name.

2. Bless the Lord, Oh Soul of mine,
And may we ne'er forget
The blessings from His hand Divine,
His glorious benefit.

3. For He forgavest all my sin,
And set my heart at ease;
He cleansed and made me pure within,
And kept me from disease.

4. My soul from death the Lord did save,
He crowned me with His love;
In tenderness He freely gave
Sweet mercies from above.

5. He fills my mouth with goodly things,
My youth shall with me stay;
My soul mounts up on eagle wings,
I'm happy all the day.

6. In judgement none can super-seede
God's reign of righteousness,
He understands our deepest need,
And saves us from distress.

7. God's servant Moses knew
God's way,
And saw His work so grand,
He led from Egypt all the way
To Canaan's promised land.

8-9. The Lord is merciful and kind.
He will not always chide,
His anger passes and we find
His love doth e'er abide.

10. And though in sin we still accord
With our antiquities,
He hath not dealt us out reward,
For our iniquities.

11. For as the Heaven is high above,
His mercy stays the same,
He watches o'er in constant love
All those who fear His name.

12. Far as the East is from the West,
He moved our sins away,
And in His love He gives us rest,
We'll live in Him for aye.

13. Like as a father with his child,
The Lord in pity still,
Preserves us from the tempters wild,
And keeps us from all ill.

14. The Lord who knows our frailty frame,
The Lord so good and just,
Knows how to keep in His own name
The children of the dust.

15-16. For man is like the tender grass,
To flourish or decay,
A few brief winds will o'er him pass,
And he is gone away.

17. God's mercy will forever stay
With those who fear His name,
To children's children His right way
Is evermore the same.

18-19. For those who keep God's bond of love,
Though they be great or small,
Are subjects of the King above,
He ruleth over all.

20. Then bless the Lord ye angels bright,
Whose strength doth so excell,
Let praise pervade that world of light,
Where souls immortal dwell.

21. Oh, bless the Lord ye ransomed throng,
Ye ministers so true,
Oh, bless His name in joyful song,
Ye whom His pleasures do.

22. Oh, bless the Lord, both hill and plain,
Let all His name extoll,
His works in all His wide domain,
Oh, bless the Lord my soul.

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Rev. J. L. Evans went to Temple for an examination at a hospital Monday.

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Valentine Day: A full line of Valentines and Valentine Boxes of Chocolates.—Wm. Reese Co. (25-26)

Miss Mary Lee Payne of San Angelo spent the week end in Comanche with Miss Berta Goodson.

J. C. Hardy, President of Baylor College of Belton spent the week end in Comanche.

Bridge Party: A new shipment of Tallys and Cards just received.—Wm. Reese Co. (25-26)

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore visited her mother, Mrs. J. M. Childers at Santa Anna Sunday.

Bridge Party: A new shipment of Tallys and Cards just received.—Wm. Reese Co. (25-26)

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Childers and Mrs. John Robin of Santa Anna spent Saturday in Comanche.

Mrs. T. J. Perryman and son, T. J. Jr., of Houston are visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Lowry.

Mrs. Mae Cameron has returned from Fort Worth where she spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Isham.

Bob Cox was a Dallas visitor Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Thompson of Rising Star spent the week end in Comanche with her sister, Mrs. Bob Seale.

Edison Daniel of Brownwood spent Tuesday in Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chittlen were Dallas visitors last week.



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Announcements

The Chief is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 23, 1932

- For District Judge—
JOE H. EIDSON
- For Representative—
HOMER C. DE WOLFE
- For County Judge—
W. T. HOUSE
B. J. PITTMAN
H. L. STEWART
- For County Clerk—
BOB HAYNES, Re-election
Second Term
- For Sheriff—
DWIGHT BRIGHTMAN
Re-election Second Term.
- For District Attorney 52nd Judicial District—
TOM L. ROBINSON
- For County Treasurer—
FLORENCE STURKIE
IVA HART
- For Tax Collector—
W. D. (Will) STURKIE
MRS. B. W. SPEED
JOE MARSHALL
- For District Clerk—
FRANK HOWINGTON
Re-election Second Term.
- For Tax Assessor—
GEORGE GOOSBY
E. R. ARMSTRONG
DEROLL E. NABERS
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1
F. L. LITTLE
T. A. (Aron) WARD
W. P. (Bill) GRAHAM
H. R. (Hugh) LACY
DEE ISHAM
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2
G. M. (Mode) SCOTT
TOM PATTON
WILL MAY.
SAM B. LEWIS
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3
F. T. BRANDT
GRADY HOWELL

Mrs. Mollie Gombold of Dallas is visiting her mother, Mrs. T. O. Moore.

Dr. E. R. Green of Ranger was a Comanche visitor Monday.

We want your cream, produce, poultry and eggs.—Bot Seale at Home Produce Co.

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Dan Wesson and son of San Angelo were in Comanche on business Friday.

Mrs. Coman Shear and children of Waco are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams.

SEED! SEED!
We shall still be headquarters for all kinds of field seeds, garden seed. Also nice lot of fresh Comb Honey, 10 pound bucket, as well as lots of other bargains. Also nice Oil Cook Stove for sale.—E. H. JONES, Grocer.

The Way of Life BRUCE BARTON

When To Be Blind

A YOUNG mother who is a friend of our family entered her daughter in a girl's school. She said to the head-mistress: "Mary is not much of a student. She likes history and does fairly well in French, but in arithmetic I think she is almost a total loss." Amusement appeared on the face of the head-mistress. "Do you mean to tell me," she exclaimed, "that you have brought us a child who has faults! After sitting here for years and listening to mothers whose daughters were paragons of virtue and intelligence, this is indeed a novel experience!"

Most of us are constitutionally unable to see any defect in those we love. It might be better sometimes if we could. Perhaps if we could analyze our children cold-bloodedly we might be able to bolster them with added strength.

On the other hand, what a blessing it is that we do not always see too well.

In cleaning out my desk one day I ran across a photograph of our first baby, taken when he was about six weeks old. I remember how proudly we sent it to all our relatives at Christmas time; how positive we were that there had never been in all history so beautiful a child.

Today the picture gives me a fit. It must be my youngster, for my wife is holding it. But instead of the beautiful cherub I remember, what is she holding? Something that looks exactly like a summer squash.

Without the blessed blindness of women it is difficult to see how any marriage could be a sustained success. We men know each other—that no one of us is very good. Yet our wives have the silly notion that we are great stuff. And by their faith they keep us going.

Centuries ago a city was attacked by the armies of Syria. A prophet lived in that city. A messenger rushed to him in great alarm: "Alas, my master! how shall we do?"

To which the prophet replied calmly: "Fear not; for they that be with us are more than they that be with them." ... "And the eyes of the young man were opened, and behold the mountain was full of horses and chariots round about Elisha."

There are forces of goodness in people that are visible only to the eyes of love. There are forces of power that can be estimated only by the eyes of faith.

The important thing is to be intelligently blind to the surface defects, and to be able to see and appreciate the things that can not be seen.

Stopping War

MY friend Admiral Samuel McGowan was purchasing agent for the Navy during the World War.

He saw something of the fine idealism and sacrifice which war calls forth. But he saw, also, how greed and profiteering and the basest sort of selfishness wrap themselves in the cloak of patriotism and proceed cold-bloodedly to exploit the public necessity.

He sends me his plan for preventing war, to which I am glad to give wide publicity.

"Amend the Constitution," he urges, "so as to require that before war can be declared or participated in (except only in the event of attack or invasion) there shall be a Referendum:

"That if a majority of the votes cast be for peace, there the matter ends; if for war, every able-bodied male citizen between the ages of 18 and 35 shall be drafted, and

"That from the day war is declared until peace is finally concluded, no price or wage shall exceed what it was 90 days prior to such declaration.

"That all profits in excess of 5 per cent shall be forfeited to the Government, and that no person, firm or corporation shall in peace-time or war-time be received as a contractor who is not a manufacturer, or a regular dealer, in the articles to be supplied—regular dealer being none other than one who, at the time the offer is submitted, either owns outright the articles offered or dependably controls their source of supply."

I cannot see how any intelligent patriotic person can object to that proposal. If we had the sense and courage to write it into the Constitution at once we should destroy war propaganda, for no one would be so foolish as to spend money on propaganda when no money could possibly be made from war.

We should entirely remove the present premium on war and in its stead impose a very heavy penalty.

The silliness of war, under modern conditions of destructiveness, is almost as appalling as its horror.

Napoleon liked to tell the story of the Dey of Algiers who, on hearing that the French were fitting out an expedition to destroy the town, sent word that if the king would give him half the money that the expedition would cost he would burn the town down himself.

Our experience with war costs and war debts ought to have taught us that the Dey was a pretty wise old owl!

Use our Better Butter Wrapping Paper. A genuine Vegetable Parchment paper, that will not stick to the butter. Is better but costs no more. Ask us for Better Cartons.—The Comanche Chief.

Miss Velda Franks and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kinsey spent Friday in Gatesville.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Allen of Cisco spent the week end in Comanche with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Elkins.

Birthday and Convalescent Cards: A new assortment of Gibsons Cards, just received.—Wm. Reese Co. (25-26)

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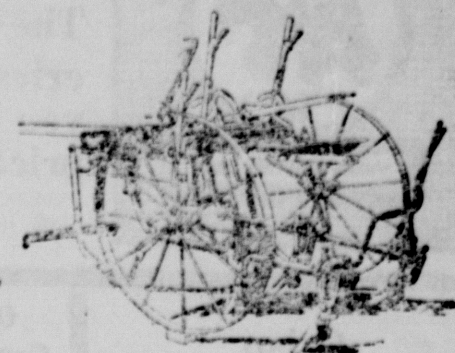
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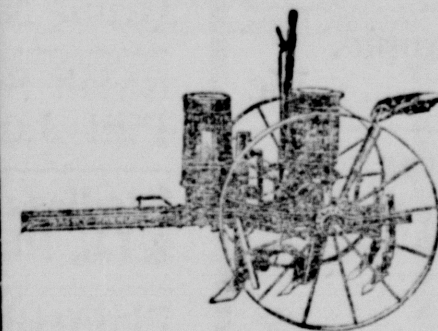


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10 Oz. Pkg. 15c
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No. 2 Can 10c
Soda Crackers, 2 Lb. box 19c
Broken Sliced Pineapple,
Large Can 15c
Sultana Peanut Butter,
2 Lb. Jar 28c
Economy Oats,
3 1-2 Lb. Pkg. 12c

Queen Anne Mince Meat,
Package 10c
Iona Brand Pure Cocoa,
2 Lb. Can 25c
Encore Prepared Spaghetti,
2 Medium Cans 15c
Quaker Maid Beans,
3 Medium Cans 20c
Grape Nut Flakes, Pkg. 10c
Rajah Salad Dressing,
Pint Jar 19c
Seedless Raisins,
2 Lb. Pkg. 17c
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CROSS ROADS

The Sunday School at this place elected officers Sunday: Newt Allen was chosen, Superintendent, Gene Russel, Assistant Superintendent; Minnie May, Sec. and Treas., Gladys Boyd, teacher of the Card Class, Era L. Hood, teacher of the Intermediate class, Newt Allan, teacher of the young folks class, Mrs. Newt Allan, teacher of the Advanced Class, W. T. Coker, choir leader, and Era L. Hood, pianist.

Sunday School is held each Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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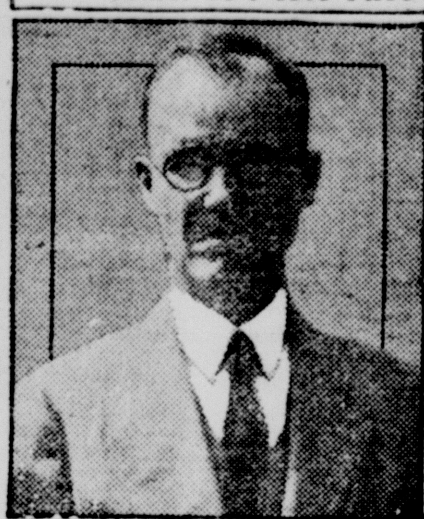
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Dorothy De Mar of Hollis, Long Island, was awarded the annual beauty prize at New York's favorite seashore resort.

New Ruler of Porto Rico

J. B. Beverly has been appointed Governor of Porto Rico in place of Theodore Roosevelt, who was assigned to the Philippine Islands.

BLANKET

Dr. W. E. Brown who has been receiving treatment at a Brownwood for several days was able to be brought home Monday.

Mrs. Chenault and little son, Billie left Friday for their home in Mississippi after several weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. R. B. Swart.

Miss Althea Baker entertained the high school pupils with a party at her home Thursday evening.

Jack Bettis of Cross Cut spent the week end here with relatives and friends.

Miss Elizabeth Reed of Graham came in Monday for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Crisp.

Miss Lois Fuller and mother of Goldthwaite visited J. R. Deen and family Sunday.

Mrs. Guy Grady returned home Monday from Santa Anna where she had been visiting her mother who is ill.

Miss Amy Damron spent part of last week with friends at Brownwood.

Miss Imogene Grady entertained the young people with a party at her home Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Carnes of Fort Sumner, New Mexico came in Saturday to visit her brother, Alvin Richmond.

Mrs. Virgil Parson returned home Saturday from San Angelo where she has been receiving treatment.

Mrs. J. W. Damron entertained the Home Mission Society of the Methodist Church with a social at her home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Sumner of Las Cruces, New Mexico, came in Sunday to visit her brother, Alvin Richmond.

Misses Bonnie and Louise Baker of Burnt Branch, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Baker Sunday.

Miss Leva Eoff of San Saba county spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Eoff.

Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Miss Ophelia of Jordan Springs visited friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gleaton moved to the John Ward place north of town Saturday.

VAN DYKE

A Bible Study period is to begin tonight, Friday, Feb. 5th, at the Baptist Church, to continue throughout next week.

Two ball games are to be played Friday afternoon, one between Fairview and Van Dyke and Downing and Van Dyke.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Almon and daughter spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Vinson of Gustine.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mayberry of Teague spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Boynton and daughters of Fairview spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. F. M. Tiner.

Loys Samuels spent Saturday night with relatives at Dublin.

**COUNCIL EXTENDS THANKS
TO TAXPAYERS FOR CO-OP.**

On behalf of the City Council we thank the tax payers of Comanche who have sacrificed in order to pay their city tax. We realize that most who have paid have sacrificed to do so. The major part of our City tax burden was voted when conditions were normal and to most of our tax payers the burden is now all but unbearable.

The Council has for the past two years used its best efforts to bring about conditions where-in a tax reduction would be practical. We are glad to advise you that the city finances are in good condition, and had tax collections for the years 1930 and 1931 been normal we would this year have been able to make a substantial reduction in rate. But they have not been normal and we could not expect that they would be normal, and we consider a seventy five per cent collection remarkably good for 1931 tax.

We hope that all tax payers who are delinquent and who possibly can arrange to do so will pay their tax within the next ninety days, as the better collections we can have by May first the better rate we will be able to make for 1932 tax.

No one in Comanche is responsible for conditions now prevailing and again we would express our appreciation of the disposition of our people to carry their tax burden as best they can.

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BLANKET—ZEPHYR CHARGE

There will be services at Blanket Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. At the morning hour, Hal Cherry of Brownwood, District Lay Leader will speak. Sunday School at 10 a. m. and Young People's Work at 6 p. m. At Zephyr, Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a. m. and Young People's Work at 6 p. m. J. D. Smoot, Pastor.



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**TRIPLETS ARE BORN
TO ZEPHYR CUPLE AT
SANTA ANNA HOSPITAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Melton of Zephyr announce the arrival of triplet daughters who were born Sunday night at the Sealy hospital at Santa Anna. Two of the children weighed four pounds each and the third daughter weighed 3 3-4 pounds. The hour of birth of the first child was recorded at 10:35 p. m. and the second child was born at 11:55, and the third arrived barely in time to share birthday celebrations with her sisters, the time of her birth being recorded at 11:59 p. m. Had her arrival been one minute later she would not have been born on a different day from that of her sisters, but in a different month as well. Mr. and Mrs. Melton have no other children. Both the mother and daughters are reported as doing nicely—Brownwood Bulletin.

ELM GROVE

There will be a nie supper at this place Friday night, Feb. 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Flippo visited relatives at Sidney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bingham and family of Van Dyke visited in this community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Evans and family of Soda Springs spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Flippo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reed of Sidney spent Wednesday in this community with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Chandler of Sidney visited Mr. and Mrs. Fate Chandler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ferril spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arnel Ferril of Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Mimms of Sidney visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Trulove this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Flippo of Bibb spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Flippo.

Misses Blanche and Malissie Chancellor visited at Cotton Grove last week end.

**PECAN EVENING
SCHOOL AT COMYN**

The Comyn Pecan Evening School met Thursday night, January 28th, at the Comyn School building.

C. F. Denny of Comanche made a talk on how to start a pecan orchard and also gave a demonstration on skin budding pecan trees. County Agent J. A. Barton was also present.

The school is being conducted by W. Doyle Graves, Vocational Agriculture teacher of Comyn. Twenty eight members are enrolled. Problems studied include: Selecting and storing bed and graft woods, top-working pecan trees, budding, grafting, starting an orchard, after care of buds and grafts, clearing out, diseases and marketing.

ENTERTAINS TUESDAY CLUB

Violets were featured in the decorations and a color scheme of pink and green was carried out in the refreshments Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Bob Stanton entertained the members of the Tuesday Club and a number of guests with six tables of bridge.

Following the games, trophy for high score among the guests went to Mrs. Homer Palmer and the consolation prize to Miss Rebecca Hill.

Refreshments of pineapple Bavarian cream, iced cakes, mints and coffee were served to the club members and to Mrs. Comman Shear of Waco, Mesdames W. D. Carroll, A. B. Haworth, Ira Clemons, Carroll Black, W. H. Satterfield, R. K. Shelton, Joe B. Hamilton, Homer Palmer, Inez Palmer, J. E. Palmer, John D. Waring, Jr. and Misses Bess Hoff and Rebecca Hill.

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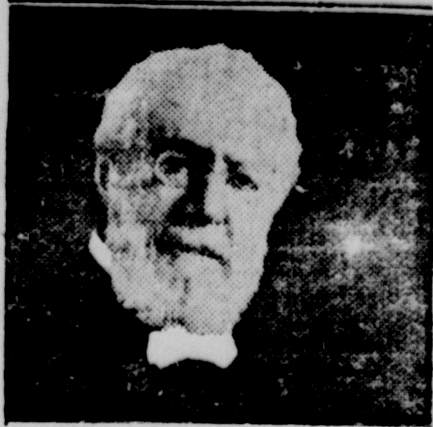
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Portrait of Dr. Charles H. Farkhurst, painted by Paul King recently, hangs in the rooms of the Clergy Association of New York. Dr. Farkhurst gained world-wide fame by his attacks on political partnership with vice.

ENERGY

N. A. Hensley is very ill at the Hamilton sanitarium. Guss Rudd, who has been serving on the Federal Pettit Jury at Fort Worth for the past three weeks returned to his home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hensley, Mr. Clayton and Leslie Hensley have been called here on account of the illness of their father, N. A. Hensley.

Rev. Preston Broxton of Gustine preached at the Methodist Church here Sunday morning.

Mrs. R. L. Sneath of Gustine visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Middleton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Howell and daughter, Charlene, of Gustine visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Howell and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Howell Sunday.

Mrs. Jones and son, Irvin of Hamilton visited Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Caraway Sunday.

Rev. J. Y. Robinson preached at the Baptist Church here Sunday morning. Rev. S. J. Isham preached Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henson of Pettit visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Howell Sunday.

Claude McPherson and Elroy Morgan, students at Hamilton, spent the week end here with their parents.

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Chief Dry Cleaners. We call for the clothes. The work will be satisfactory.—E. E. McNatt. (tf)

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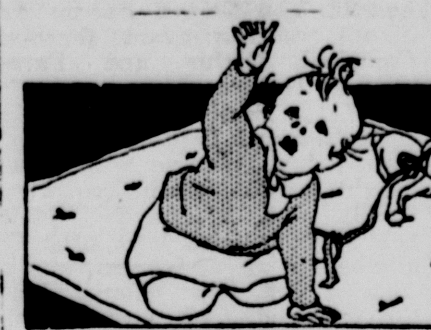
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Congressman Louis T. McFadden, Pennsylvania Republican, whose accusations against the President were denounced by both parties.

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BEATTIE

Aubrey Fisher has returned home from West Texas.

The outsiders of this community will render a play Friday night, February 5th.

Miss Belle Hambrick of Priddy is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Bingham and attending school here.

Frank Moore has moved from Maytown to this community.

Grady Auvenshine and family spent Saturday night with Ben Keith of this community.

Edd Monn and Miss Eura Bingham visited in Brownwood Sunday.

Miss Hilma Rogers of Cross Roads visited Miss Floye Evers last week.

The 4-H Club met last week with County Agent Barton and elected the following officers:

Hilma Rogers, president; Miss Alma Joe Black, vice president; Miss Lily Belle Fisher, secretary; Miss Lorraine Rogers, yeh leader; Miss Euna Fern Greene, reporter.

BRYSONVILLE

Miss Ruth Randall of Comanche spent Saturday night with Misses Laura and Newty Scott.

The Brysonville Singing Class visited the Brownwood Singing Convention Sunday.

Effie, Claudine and Werdna Robertson spent Saturday night with their brother, John Robertson and family of Logan Gap.

Miss Eufaula Johnson spent the week end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hollingsworth of Ireland returned to their home Sunday, after visiting in this community. Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Hollingsworth and son, B. J. returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson and son, Gerald Talmadge of Logan Gap spent Sunday with their parents, S. J. Robertson and family.

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HONOR MINISTER AND BRIDE WITH SHOWER

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bryant were honored with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Jones Friday evening when members of the Young People's Department of the Church of Christ gathered early, bringing with them packages attractively wrapped and each bearing an appropriate verse of scripture.

After the gifts were presented a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served to the honorees and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Redwine, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Norrid, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Miller, and Misses Ruth Biggs, Johnnie Wallace, Maude Wallace, Leona Biggs, Connie Norrid, Grace Hilliard, Ruby and Viola Harris, Estelena Redwine, Christine Kemp, Alice Buckmaster, Ruby Polston, Annie Mae Polston, Myrtle Miller, Pearl Harris, Reba Clark, Edna Harris, Hilma Russell, Ruby Jean Redwine, Mary Francis Millen, Waleen Clark and Mesdames Reeves Magness, Marshall, Brock and J. C. Jacobs and Fred Hughes, Frank Redwine, Bill Polston, Albert Miller, Al Miller, Morris Hawkins, Wade Rutland, Wayne Rutland and Pansy Russell.

M. E. YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE TACKEY PARTY

Members of the Young People's Department of the Methodist S. S. and a number of guests enjoyed a tackey party in the basement of the church Monday night. Games, contests and stunts were directed by Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kallina, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Cagle, Mrs. R. D. Renfro, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Evans and Miss Nobia Dunn.

Refreshments of pop corn, peanuts and candy were served to about fifty.

PROCTOR

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Smith visited Edgar Brinson at Van-Dyke Sunday.

Miss Beryl Bush who has been attending John Tarleton has returned home after finishing her course there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pickil were Stephenville visitors Sunday.

Miss Carrie Gorman spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Gertie Goner of Dublin, who is ill.

Miss Olga Carleton of John Tarleton spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cooper spent Saturday in DeLeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Gilbreath have returned from Oklahoma where they have been for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Landers of Laso and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Foster of Harbin visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith Sunday.

Earl Sears of Kansas is visiting Mrs. B. B. Sears.

Mr. and Mrs. Billingsley of Stephenville visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Purvis last week.

Watt Hornburg of Edna Hill and Herf Hornburg of Wilson spent the week end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett visited relatives in Dublin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lane entertained the young people with a party Saturday night.

Proctor basket ball girls played Purvis girls on Purvis court Friday evening. Proctor girls won.

Mrs. Bell Norton and Miss Carrie Gorman visited at Rock last week.

NOTICE

The regular monthly meeting of the Baptist Workers Conference will be held at the Gustine Baptist Church Tuesday, February the ninth.

The same program that was planned for the January meeting will be rendered at the February meeting.

W. M. Scott, Pastor.



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More About Sidney Wins

(Continued from First Page)

Lamkin went through the tournament undefeated and was ruled out by the League headquarters at Austin because the dues were not paid by the specified date.

The Robinson Springs team proved one of the best passing teams at the tournament and their defense unsurpassed, but their inability to loop the basket prevented them from going further in the race.

The Games

The Comanche Indians, with less than two weeks practice opened the tournament with a game against the Gustine Tigers and the play of the Indians was one of the surprises of the day, holding the Tigers to a 4 to 3 in the initial quarter and at one time within the third quarter pulled within two points of last year's champions. In the final quarter, the Tigers pulled away from the Indians, winning 21 to 11.

Gleaton of Gustine, all-tournament forward of last year, did much to keep the Tigers in the lead and was high point man of the game. Captain C. B. Williams was high point man of the Indian team.

Line-up Comanche: Barry and Hatley, guards; Wetzel and Williams, forwards; Moore, center; Subs, O'Brien for Wetzel.

Gustine: Gleaton and Vernon, forwards; Boyd, Estes and Patton, guards; Cook, center.

Beattie in the second game of the tournament jumped into an early lead over Sine Springs and was ahead 13 to 5 at the end of the half. In the final quarter after Stamey and Wallace had left the Beattie line-up, Sipe Springs started a scoring spree, the game ending 28 to 14 in favor of the Beattie Bears.

A. Stephenson of Beattie was one of the most aggressive players on the court and was high point man with a count of ten. Line-up Beattie: Brownlee and L. Stephenson, forwards; McCrory and Johnson, guards; A. Stephenson, center. Subs, Teague for McCrory. Sine Springs: Z. Morris and L. Dunlap, forwards; Morrow and Wallace, guards; Stamey, center. Subs, Halford for Stamey; Morris for Wallace.

The midgeet Hasse team was unable to cope with the well trained and larger Duster team who met in the third game Friday. Hasse was unable to score but one free goal in the first half which ended 17 to 1 in Dusters' favor. In the last half the Hasse defense tightened, and the final score was Duster 26 and Hasse 4. Boykin of Duster with nine points was high for the game.

Line-up Duster: Phillips and Heathington, forwards; Warren and Joiner, guards; Boykin, center. Subs: Walker for Phillips, Carter for Boykin, Crow for Warren. Coan for Joiner, Hasse; Willford and J. McNeill, forwards; Wolley and Colcleasure, guards; D. McNeill, center. Subs, Haslett for McNeill.

The Sidney Eagles opened their drive for the championship when they met the DeLeon Bear Cats in the fifth game of the tournament. Sidney got off to a flying start and held the Bear Cats scoreless the first quarter while the Eagles registered 3 points. In the second quarter Sidney added eight more and DeLeon looped a basket for two points. In the last half, Sidney placed substitutes on the field and the Bear Cats began to break through their defense. The game ended Sidney 24, DeLeon 8. Hall, the Eagle center was the star of the game and high point man with a score of 11.

Line-up Sidney: Jones and Winingham, forwards; W. and B. Caffey, guards; Hall, center. Subs: Stewart for Jones, Ward for Winingham, and May for Hall. DeLeon: Snead and Funderburg, forwards; Mulloy and Scott, guards; and Allen, center. Subs, C. Funderburg for Mulloy, Cook for Allen; Joiner for C. Funderburg.

Lamkin, one of the pre-tournament favorites, met a stiff opposition in the Newburg defense and was unable to score but two goals the first quarter. Newburg, however, could not break through the Lamkin defense and was held scoreless during the first half. The made two free goals and a field goal in the last half. As the game progressed, Lamkin began to solve the Newburg defense and ran the score to 20 to 4. Tatum, the Lamkin center, was high with 8 points.

Line-up Newburg: Hicks and Henson, forwards; G. Foreman and D. Hicks, guards; B. Hicks, center. Subs: Wilhelm for D. Hicks, Lamkin; Talley and Hughes, forwards; Campbell and Edinburg, guards; Tatum, center.

The only close game on Friday was played between Pettit and Proctor which Pettit finally won 14 to 13. The lead changed from team to team during the game which proved to be the most exciting contest. The playing of Taber at center despite an injured hand was one of the features of the game. Moore of Proctor and Beene of Pettit with 5 points each tied for scoring honors.

Line-up Pettit: Beene and Hicks, forwards; Baskin and Pettit, guards; Taber, center. Proctor: Graham and Moore, forwards; Tackett and Greenlee, guards; Coker, center.

Oliver Springs placed a scrappy

team on the field but was unable to cope with the bigger and more experienced Robinson Springs team. The Oliver Springs boys, however, outplayed the second string team that started against them and when the Robinson Springs regulars went in the game in the third quarter, the Oliver Springs boys were leading by two points. The regular Robinson Springs boys however, who had one of the best teams in the tournament soon forged ahead, winning 17 to 6. Barker, substituting forward for Robinson Springs was high point man with a score of 6.

Line-up Robinson Springs: V. Stewart and Moring, forwards; Tolar and Stewart, guards; Moore center. Subs: Bromelow for A. Stewart; Barker for Moring; Dyson for Moore; Kimmell for A. Stewart. Oliver Springs: Burleson and O. Cogburn, forwards; Cozart and Daniels, guards; A. Cogburn, center. Subs: A. Daniels for B. Daniels.

Comyn won the right to enter the second round by a forfeit, being awarded the game 2 to 0 when the Energy team failed to appear. The Comyn line-up was: Moore and Sturdivant, forwards; Campbell, Mathis and Barnes, guards; Hall, center.

Semi-Finals

Gustine and Beattie opened the second day's playing with a hard fought game, which the Tigers finally won 27 to 24. Beattie held a five point lead with five minutes to go and began stalling tactics but the Tigers broke through and took possession of the ball and Vernon, Cook, and Gleaton rang pretty goals to put the Tigers in the lead and the final minutes was a hectic affair with both teams trying desperately to score.

Duster had an easy time eliminating Comyn who failed to score until the final minutes of play when they cashed in on a gift shot just before the whistle ended the game 15 to 1 in favor of Duster.

Sidney was held to two field goals and a free shot by the strong Pettit team during the first quarter which ended 5 to 2 in favor of the Eagles. As the game progressed the Eagle got better and better with Hall hitting the basket at all angles of the court and the Caffey brothers at guard positions checking the play of the Pettit team, the contest ending 21 to 11 in Sidney's favor.

The game between Lamkin and Robinson Springs proved to be the low score contest of the tournament. Lamkin made but one field goal and Robinson Springs 3 during the game. The Robinson Springs forwards who were sure shots in the first game could not solve the Lamkin man for man defense. Robinson Springs took the lead near the end of the half and held it by a close margin. The game ended Robinson Springs 9, Lamkin 6.

With Vernon and Gleaton hitting the basket and Cook getting the tip off at center, Gustine jumped into an early lead over Duster, leading at the end of the first quarter 10 to 3. Duster fought hard but was unable to score but 3 more points, the final score being Gustine 27, Duster 6.

Many of the spectators thought that Robinson Springs would be able to stop Sidney and the excitement was at a high pitch when the semi-final game began between the two teams. Neither team was able to score for five minutes, but Sidney finally came through with a free throw and made two more and a field goal in quick succession, the quarter ending 5 to 3 for Sidney.

After the rest period, the Eagles gradually began to increase their lead, the half ending 10 to 6 and the final score being 20 to 10. Pretty shooting by Winingham from the corner of the court after he had been fed the ball by the deceptive Eagle players proved the margin of victory for Sidney.

The Gustine Tigers, last year champions, met the Eagles after the latter had only a half an hour of rest and Sidney at once took charge of the game, the initial quarter ending 8 to 0 in favor of the Eagles. Gustine did all of her scoring in the second and third quarters, the game finally ending 24 to 8 in favor of Sidney.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET FOR FEBRUARY

(Comanche—C. S. T.)

By L. B. Russell

	Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:28	6:08
2	7:27	6:09
3	7:27	6:10
4	7:26	6:11
5	7:25	6:11
6	7:25	6:12
7	7:24	6:13
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20	7:12	6:25
21	7:11	6:26
22	7:10	6:26
23	7:09	6:27
24	7:08	6:27
25	7:06	6:28
26	7:05	6:29
27	7:04	6:30
28	7:03	6:31
29	7:02	6:31

POLL TAXES SHOW SLUMP

Poll tax payments will show an increase of approximately 300 over a year ago and about a 1100 decrease from two years ago according to figures obtained at the County Tax Collectors Office.

With about 250 letters unopened most of which are thought to contain poll tax payments mailed before February 1, there had been paid at the collector's office up to February 1 a total of 3262 polls as compared to 3146 last year up to February 1, 1930. 4661 polls were paid.

More than a fourth of the polls were paid in the two Comanche boxes. No. 2 leads with a total of 450 and No. 1 was second with 410. DeLeon No. 15 had 409. DeLeon No. 33 was fourth with 216.

Payments by boxes showed:

	1930	32	31
No. 1 Comanche	565	410	407
No. 2 Comanche	532	450	423
Hasse	104	61	69
Soda Springs	53	42	58
Dineley	60	45	35
Gustine	241	141	137
Flaming	164	66	69
Engrer	83	60	70
Lamkin	122	74	98
Macksville	79	27	86
Hazel Dell	75	44	29
Wilson	115	42	76
Proctor	204	119	137
Comyn	74	62	47
DeLeon No. 15	476	409	384
Dowering	165	64	50
Rucker	145	64	83
Sine Springs	167	165	86
Stearns	62	34	33
Bibb	26	16	22
Sidney	172	131	119
Whitville	64	51	44
Whitson Gap	50	40	40
Brushy Gap	33	26	26
Newburg	147	75	102
Beattie	103	69	62
Indian Mountain	23	15	18
Suez	53	30	27
Van Dyke	75	63	50
Gap	42	32	25
Robinson Springs	95	67	63
DeLeon No. 33	326	216	196

City Taxes Show Only Slight Slump

City and School tax payments up to February 1st, are off less than ten per cent from the corresponding date last year according to City Tax Collector, Hill Huddleston, who said that he considered the payments unusual. More than \$1,000 was collected Monday which was not included in the report and payments were still coming in Tuesday.

City school taxes collected amounted to \$15,936.06 out of an assessment of \$22,061.01, or out 72 per cent as compared to a payment of \$18,822.76 up to February 1 last year out of an assessment of \$23,217.91, or about 80 per cent payment.

City taxes collected amounted to \$20,433.45 out of an assessment of \$27,644.71 or 73.75 per cent as compared to a payment of \$23,466.46 up to February 1 last year out of an assessment of \$29,533.38, a payment of about 80 per cent.

City taxes remaining unpaid for 1931 amount only to \$7,247.66 and those of the school to only \$6,180.95.

A special effort will be made by the city to collect as much of the delinquent taxes as possible by May 1, the date when the city tax rate is set according to Mayor J. R. Eanes.

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- Leather Half Soles, pair 9c
- Children's Rayon Bloomers 9c
- Electric Light Bulbs 9c
- 9 Oz. Brown Jersey Gloves 9c
- 7 Inch Scissors 9c
- Ivory Enamelware, green trimmed
- Pudding Pans and Stewers, Saturday Only, Each 9c

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COURT HOUSE NEWS

Marriages Recorded

Ike Brumbelow of DeLeon and Miss Bessie H. Underwood, Dublin were married January 23 by Rev. Gordon Barrett of Comanche.

Truman Thurman and Miss Mary Lee Bray of Dublin were married January 22, by W. P. Goodner, Justice of Peace, Erath County.

W. J. Philen and Mrs. Letha Dearmon of Brownwood, Indian Creek Route, were married January 18, by Rev. W. D. Kirkpatrick.

Allen Brownlee and Miss Greta James, De Leon, were married January 19, by Rev. A. F. Nabors.

Marriage Licenses

Burnell Little and Miss Myrtle Moore, Comanche Route 3.

Deeds Recorded

D. C. Robertson and wife to R. B. Easley 118.75 acres out of the J. I. Parker Survey, \$10.00 and other valuable consideration.

Mrs. Martha Ellen Helmick to W. A. Newsome part of Block 19, City of Comanche, John Duncan Survey, valuable consideration.

W. H. Wilkerson and wife to J. H. Hanson 54.7 acres of the Ammon Underwood Survey, consideration \$8,000.00.

B. F. Scott and wife et al to Tom Scott and Elba Scott, 72 acres out of the East Texas Railway Survey, 8 acres out of the G. Rochefeller Survey and 96 acres out of the McKinney and Williams Survey, to partition the estate of Henry Scott.

C. G. Bramlett and wife to Mrs. Velma Weider, tract of land, consideration \$2600.00.

B. B. Chappell and wife to Cicero Smith and Mrs. H. L. Barnhardt, 100 acres of Section

No. 16, East Texas Railway Survey, consideration \$800.00.

F. F. Hoelzle to B. B. Chappell 100 acres of the East Texas Railway Survey, \$10 and other valuable consideration.

M. T. Jenkins to Mrs. Dorothy Jenkins 160 acres out of the H. & T. C. R. R. Survey and second tract of 80 acres, same survey, \$10.00 and other valuable consideration.

Mrs. J. C. Lewis to W. M. L. 165 acres in two tracts out of the James Hamilton Survey, \$1 and other valuable consideration.

G. L. Morris and wife to Houser 120 acres of the Christian Heffner Survey, 71.5 acres of the W. E. Waite Survey, consideration \$1775.00.

L. C. Bills and wife to John T. Minter, 2 acres in DeLeon consideration \$970.

H. A. Kinney et al to Mrs. M. A. Sanders 141.54 acres of the Wm. De Moss Survey, \$360 for an undivided interest.

T. O. Hughes to Mrs. Clara Hodge 1.5 acres in the town of Proctor, consideration \$192.50.

Lillian Scott and husband, J. W. Scott to E. B. Gregory, 3 acres out of the H. & T. C. R. R. Survey and tract of land out of the S. W. Edwards Survey consideration \$2500.00.

T. A. Norwood to W. Norwood, undivided interest in the estate of his father and mother, W. M. and Susan Norwood, \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

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Mr. and Mrs. Will Elkins and daughter of Coleman spent Friday in Comanche with relatives.

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Announcing his candidacy for district judge, Mr. Callaway said: "I think to properly discharge the duties of the office, one should have a deep and abiding sense of justice and fairness, as well as an accurate and thorough knowledge of the law. An intuitive knowledge of human nature, coupled with ripe experience and executive ability and also qualities or attributes that should go with the office."

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Sidney Loses To Bwd. Lions

Brownwood High School's Lions annexed the Second Annual Daniel Baker Invitational Basketball tournament championship Monday night by defeating Sidney High School quintet 20 to 16 in the final game of the tournament.

Hall, center, was by far the best man Sidney had on the floor. He led in scoring with ten points six of them on free pitches.

The Lamkin team won third by defeating Grosvenor last night 37 to 18. Lamkin had little trouble winning from Grosvenor and as for that most of the fans will agree that the Lamkin boys had the second best team in the tournament, instead of third.

Sidney Line-up: Winingham, and Jones, forwards; Hall, center; W. and B. Caffey, Guards and R. Jones, forward.

Lamkin Line-up: Talley, and T. Hughes, forwards; Tatum, at center; B. Hughes, Campbell and Edinburg, guards.

Sidney and Lamkin Place On Tournament Team

Sidney placed two and Lamkin one played on the all-tournament team at the conclusion of the Second Daniel Baker Annual Invitational Tournament Monday.

The five selected were picked as the best of the 150 players who enter. They were:

Forwards: Gleaton, Brownwood, Teague, Brownwood; Center: Hall, Sidney; Guards: W. Caffey, Sidney; Campbell, Lamkin.

The five boys placed on the all-tournament team were awarded miniature gold basketballs.—Brownwood Bulletin.

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The addition of sound brings out the best in this vital drama of an American doughboy, intensifying both the tragic war scenes and the many tickling comedy moments. The picture is simply packed full of humor, of pathos, of wit, of comedy and of drama that it profoundly moving. Melisande (Renee Adoree), left crouched on the road after Jim (John Gilbert) had gone off in a motor truck, typifies the best of the race of women. A scene in a shell-hole where tobacco-chewing Slim (Karl Dane) spits at target and so wins the chance to save his two pals from almost certain death is without heroics.

Mrs. C. F. Silvus of Austin visited her father, O. O. Brightman the first part of the week and was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Grace Brightman.

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Friday night, February 5th, The Doctrine of Depravity, Rev. J. M. Parker.

Saturday night, February 6th, Mans Redemption from Sin, Rev. W. M. Scott, Brownwood.

Sunday night, February 7th, The Purpose of God's Grace, M. A. Davis, DeLeon.

Monday night, February 8th, The Church and Her Mission, Rev. W. R. Hornburg, Brownwood.

Tuesday night, February 9th, The Purpose of the Ordinances as Given to